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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (currently amended) A coextrusion tie composition comprising:
  - 10 to 35 weight% of a polymer (A) comprising a blend of 80 to 20 weight% of a metallocene polyethylene (A1) with a density of between 0.865  $\text{g/cm}^3$  and 0.915  $\text{g/cm}^3$  and of 20 to 80 weight% of a non-metallocene linear low density polyethylene (LLDPE) (A2), the blend of polymers (A1) and (A2) being grafted by a grafting monomer selected from unsaturated carboxylic acids and their derivatives, said blend comprising between 30 and 100,000 ppm of said grafting monomer;
  - 40 to 60 weight% of a styrene/butadiene/styrene block copolymer (B) with 50 to 90 mol% of styrene,
  - 20 to 35 weight% of polyethylene (PE) ~~PE~~ (C);

the total of (A), (B), and (C) making 100%, the blend of (A), (B) and (C) being such that the MFI or melt flow index (ASTM D 1238, 190°C, 2.16 kg) is ~~comprised~~ between 0.1 and 10 g/10 min.
2. (currently amended) The tie composition according to Claim 1, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein the density of (A2) is between 0.900  $\text{g/cm}^3$  and 0.950  $\text{g/cm}^3$ .
3. (currently amended) The tie composition according to Claim 1, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein the blend of polymers (A1) and (A2) comprises between 600 and 5 000 ppm of said grafting monomer.
4. (currently amended) The tie composition according to Claim 1, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein the grafting monomer is maleic anhydride.
5. (currently amended) The tie composition according to Claim 1, ~~characterized in that~~

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wherein the PE (C) has a density of between  $0.870 \text{ g/cm}^3$  and  $0.935 \text{ g/cm}^3$ .

6. (currently amended) The tie composition according to Claim 1 ~~characterized in that~~  
wherein the PE (C) comprises an LLDPE or a metallocene PE.

7. (currently amended) A multilayer structure, comprising a layer (L) comprising the  
coextrusion tie composition of Claim 1 and a layer (E) directly attached to one of the two faces  
of said layer (L), said layer (E) being a layer of polystyrene homo- or copolymer.

8. (currently amended) The multilayer structure according to Claim 7, ~~characterized in that~~  
wherein a layer (F) is directly attached to the second face of the layer (L), the layer (L) being  
sandwiched between the layers (E) and (F), the said layer (F) being either a layer of polymer  
selected from the group consisting of polyamides, aliphatic polyketones, saponified copolymers  
of ethylene and of vinyl acetate (EVOH), polyethylenes, polyesters and polystyrenes, or a metal  
layer.

9. (original) An object comprising a multilayer structure according to Claim 7.